



THE WILLOWS WONDER

APRIL 2026

NOTICES

SPORTS DAY - 22ND MAY

Parents and carers are welcome to come and watch our Sports Events on Friday 22nd May

The gate on Magdalene Close will open at 9am for parents of children in Reception, Yr 1, 2 & 3 and then again at

11am for parents of children in Year 4, 5 & 6

Parents wishing to attend both events are welcome to wait on the field between events but please be aware there are no toilet facilities available.

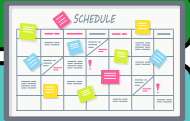
Children in all year groups will be able to be taken home at approximately 12:30 (end of 2nd event). Children will be given their lunch and should be collected via the playground gate from their normal classroom doors.

A more detailed letter will be sent to families towards the end of next week.

We look forward to cheering on our children together.



UPCOMING EVENTS



MAY

11th - 15th May - YR 6 SATS WEEK

19th - 2:30 - 3:30 - Reception, Yr 1, 2 & 3 Together Event (parents in school)

21st - Reception & Year 1 to Jimmy's Farm

22nd - **SPORTS DAY**

9am - 10:30 - Reception, Year 1, 2 & 3

11am - 12:30 - Year 4, 5 & 6

Monday 25th - Friday 30th - May Half Term (Children not in school)

JUNE

Children return to school: Monday 1st June

1st - 12th June - YR 4 TIMES TABLE CHECK

8th - 12th June - Yr 1 & 2 PHONICS CHECK

9th - Year 5 to London

12th - Reserve Sports Day

18th - 3pm - SKD Class Assembly

19th - 21st - Yr 6 PGL Bawdsey

25th - Move Up Morning - meet new teachers

29th - Class & Leavers Photographs

JULY

6th - **School Closed** - transition meetings

15th - Attendance Celebration Breakfast

16th - Year 6 Leavers Party

17th - Year 6 Leavers Assembly

17th - **Term Ends** - see last page of this newsletter for Term Dates 2026 - 27

APRIL @ THE WILLOWS IN PICTURES

GRANDAD ANANSI THEATRE



YR 4 - MIGHTY OAK COMPETITION



YEAR 2&3 LIBRARY VISIT



YR 5 & THE REEF - FARM FAYRE



THE 2 JOHNS ONLINE SAFETY

Last week we welcomed The 2 Johns who led all of our children in workshops about online safety. Yr 4, 5 & 6 parents also had the opportunity to hear from them.



For those parents in younger years or who were not able to come this link will allow you to watch their workshop. Do please take the time to hear their important messages.



UNIFORM

We have not forgotten this but due to conversations with suppliers we have had to slightly delay our announcement! More information coming before half term! Sorry!

APRIL FISH OF EACH WEEK



RHC	Dilyer, Faith, Priya	4EW	Olan, Ellie, Logan
1MF	Harry, Harper, Alannah	4HB	Amelie, Malaki, Nicky
2/3KG	Freddie, Ella, Aida	5KD	Zubair, Lunna
2/3HD	Amelia, Johnny, Ilanya	5TM	Olivia, Peyton, Mila
2/3AL	Amiyah-Rose	6RB	Lavinia, Kaitlyn, Jan
The Reef	Masoud, Carmen Charisma	6HW	Alexis, Jade, Darcy



APRIL STARS OF EACH WEEK



RHC	Grace, Ayan, Olesya	4EW	Warren, Olan, Harry
1MF	Kodi-Lee, Sapphire, Elijah	4HB	Malaki, Jacob, Maisie
2/3KG	Bryan, Iija, Sena	5KD	Reggie, Djansu
2/3HD	Connor, Pearl, Logan	5TM	Peter, Kornelia, Kyrie
2/3AL	Jessica	6RB	Sophie, Lexi, Esmee
The Reef	Charisma, Erin, Wyatt	6HW	Jasmine, Brooke, Milanna

KINDNESS HEROES

Bronze 2	Bronze 3	Silver
Ivy, Dilyer, Grace, Bontu, Ayan, Reggie, Kyana, Athena, Aylah, Ilanya, Emily, Logan, Alayna, Aliza-Rose, Evie, Noah, Bryan, Amal, Alicia, Madison, Amelia, Owen, Ellie, Nolan, Kyrie, Alessandra, Archie, Kyomi, Willow, Mayah J, Rhea, Phoebe, Katie, Brooke, Mason, Esmee, Harland, Charlotte, Freya, Carmen, Ethan, Viktoria, Keegan, Levi, Jade, Amy	Rec - Noah 2 - Maddison 3 - Sena 4 - Leo, Logan, Malaki, Libby, Warren, Jacob 5 - Winter, Zack	3 - Amiyah-Rose Ariyah 4 - Erin Stanley 5 - Leo, Holly, Sham





ATTENDANCE - 100% ON TIME, EVERY DAY FOR THE WHOLE OF APRIL

RZC	1MF	2/3HD	2/3KG	2/3AL	4EW	4HB	5KD	5TM	6RB	6HW
Dilyar	Almila	Alayna	Aida	Aliza-Rose	Amelia	Azalea	Aleksas	Abdullah	Aniyah	Bodhi
Elyas	Azari	Alfie	Amal	Bryson	Ellie	Erin	Andreas	Holly	Archie	Brooke
Isaac	Brody	Alycia	Blossom	Ellis	Harry	Logan	Angel-Rose	Isla	Ashleigh	Callum
Ivy-Rose	Elijah	Amelia	Elijah	Jessica	Leo	Maisie	Anthony	Jason	Charisma	Ethan
Kayden	Harper	Athena	Freddie	Lewie	Liliana	Malaki	Charlie	Kaio	Charlotte	Georgia
Lennox	Harry	Billie	Hudson	Noah	Madison	Melody	Kuba	Katie	Chase	Hannah
Mimi	India	Cloud	Ilja	Poppy	Maria	Riaz	Leo	Kornelia	Esmae	Harland
Noah	Marcus	Connor	Jacob	Sahara	Masoud	Salem	Lunna	Mia	Freya	Jade
Olesya	Mohammed	Ella	Liam	Sapphire	Melwin	Wyatt	Madelyn	Milo	India-Rose	Keegan
	Nayla	Emily	Maddison	Zahir	Owen		Mayah-J	Peter	Jan	Malachi
	Noah	Frankie	Milana	Zahra	Pixie		Mehdi	Peyton	Kaitlyn	Milanna
	Salma	Ilanya	Remy		Rosie		Millie	Phoebe-	Lexi-	
		James					Tristan	Dawn	Louise	
		Logan					Willow	Winter	Malik	
		Louise					Zubair	Yawar	Oscar	
		Mason						Zack	Sophie	
		Thomas							Viktoria	
		Tj-Billy								



BEST CLASS

WHOLE SCHOOL

Wk end 17/4	6HW	91%
Wk end 24/4	2/3HD	88%
Wk end 1/5	2/3HD	88%

Wk end 17/4	80%
Wk end 24/4	74%
Wk end 1/5	79%

TERM DATES 2026-27



Autumn Term



Children return to school - Thursday 3rd September 2025
 School closed – Monday 5th October (Children not in school)
 Half Term Holiday – Monday 26th October to Friday 30th October
 Children return to school - Tuesday 3rd November
 Term Ends - Friday 18th December
 Christmas Holiday - Monday 21st December to Monday 4th January

Spring Term

Children return to school - Tuesday 5th January 2027
 Half Term Holiday – Monday 15th February to Monday 22nd February
 Children return to school - Tuesday 23rd February 2027
 Term Ends - Wednesday 24th March
 Easter Holiday - Thursday 25th March to Friday 9th April



Summer Term



Children return to school - Monday 12th April 2027
 Monday 3rd May – Bank Holiday – Children not in school
 Half Term Holiday - Monday 31st May to Friday 4th June
 Children return to school - Monday 7th June
 School Closed – Monday 28th June (Children not in school)
 Term Ends – Wednesday 21st July